A Pronounced Change in Stock Market Sentiment.

London Sends a Fair Amount of Buying Orders-Anthracite Firm on Prospects of a French Strike-Little Interest in the Crop Report.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.-The explanations advanced in purely speculative circles for the further and more decided improve-ment in stock market conditions today were exactly of the sort to be expected from such quarters, but at the same time it is difficult to supplement them with others more reasonable and conclusive. Thus, according to the stock exchange theorists, there was a mark d change for the better in sentiment, and so unde edly there was, but such changes are al-ways evident when prices advance. Whether the alteration in sentiment was the cause or the effect of the advance in market prices might be set down as

lebutable question.
A mildly stimulating influence, particularly at the opening of business, was the changed attitude of London, where the market was strong and from which quarter came a fair amount of buying orders, which were, however, concentrated in a comparatively few stocks and which did not amount to a great deal in the aggre gate. The routine developments of the imber of returns of railway traffic were ibmitted and while further gains were ported in the majority of cases a num-r of returns showed substantial de-

Another incident bearing upon a specia Another incident bearing upon a special group of stocks was the announcement that the French coal miners' labor union had voted by an overwhelming majority in favor of a strike, which, it is said, will be instituted on November 1. This intelligence was held to be accountable in part for the pronounced strength in Norfolk and Western and Chesapeake and Ohio, which companies, it is thought, will profit largely through a suspension of coal mining in France.

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Only a small degree of interest appeared to be taken in the figures of the Government crop report for the month, which was published after the close of business and may be accepted as the final estimate of this year's outturn of the crops.

The market opened strong and fairly active. With the course of the day there was noted a sharp advance in anthracite coal stocks and the rise in the higher priced issues was fairly sensational.

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-Decline, xEx-dividend. Conditions remain about the same in provisions, holders, both large and small, continue to liquidate. With the exception of a brief flurry in lard early on open supporting by a leading bull interest, prices were lower. Government Bonds. U. S. Tr., 2, 1906, 20, Q. J. 100, 4 (abrd.)
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The market was buoyant yesterday afternoon under the best demand for stock seen in many days. Prices advanced sharply to the best prices seen recently, the gains ranging from a fraction to four or five points in the active list. The close was at the highest level of the day in nearly all instances, and there were many orders not filled when the gong sounded. The causes of this change of sentiment were numerous. Some of them have been spoken of before in The Times and others developed only yesterday. It was apparent Wednesday at the class of the market that the bears were becoming dissatisfied with the short side of the market and that there was some becoming dissatisfied with the short side of the market and that there was some support from the insiders. The Standard Gil people especially were noted to have taken the bull side, for a time at least. The tocrease in the Atchison dividend, the return of W. K. Vanderbilt, the hope of a good bank statement, the continuance of the good railway carnings, and the break that had already occurred in the market were all factors that had developed before the opening of the market yesterday. At the same time the Wednesday market, while firm, was dull and did not promise much for the remainder of the week. Two matters came to light yesterday—the story that the Hill-Morgan people have formed a plan for the linancing of the Burlington-Northern Pacific Great Northern railway combination and the definite news that the bank statement is likely to be a very good one. While of the definite news that the bank statement is likely to be a very good one. While of course, there is no certainty as yet that the Burlington deal story has any truth in it there are evidences that it is more than a bull fiction, and there were many conservative people inclined to give it credence yenterday.

leans and the loan account of the banks will be much reduced, as far as can be learned. There will probably be a small increase in cash. This makes a good statement for the Lanks almost certain, and it has removed the fears of the timid of Landing the liminated structure for the present at least. Of course, this is an imperant matter, as there could be little hope of extensive buying of stocks while here was any probability of tight money.

What the further course of the mar-ket will be is a matter of much doubt, but naturally there is a more hopeful feel-ing in the street, as there always is when prices are advancing instead of declining. Some further advances seem likely, and if the Burlington deal promises well dur-ing the next few days and if the bank statement is good this week the rally may well extend several points. The decline has been an important one, and even if there is not to be a boom new, the rally should be more than for a day.

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The Northern Pacific-Burlington-Great Northern story, as far as it attained to say definiteness yesterday, is to the effect that a new company is to be formed to hold the securities of these three systems and issue its own stock to take their place. Whether an entire amaignamation of the three systems is contemplated or only a combination under the holding company, is not stated. Indeed, whether the story is true or not in any particular, is, of course, in doubt. It may be stated, however, that in a number of important quarters there was much talk of the plan yesterday, and the belief that it is really to be taken up. It was said in one prominent broker's office that the deal is so far advanced that it is likely to be announced publicly and officially within a few days. Such a plan is entirely in second with the modern methods, and with the Morgan methods. If there is still any potency in the Morgan name it would seem that the market should be much stimulated by the gossin, and more so by the official announcement when it comes. Northern Pacific preferred stock was huoyant in the extreme yesterday, getting up to par from an opening of 57, and closing at 29%. The common stock was not traded in. There was no trading in Burlington, either, Great Northern was very strons.

The Washington Stock Market.

The Washington Stock Market. Sales—Columbia 5's: 500fiel. Columbia Fire Insurance Company: 275670; 256704. Mergenthaler Linetype: 1067704; 12677. Lanston Monotype: 1067704; 12677. Lanston Monotype: 106724. American Graphophone Company, Com.: 156604. American Graphophone Company, pref.: 50684. After call—American Grapho-phone Company, Co.: 125664. Washington Gas: 276634.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA BONDS. Bid, Asked ..... 125 .... 120

SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST COMPANIES.

Mergenthaler Linotype 1704 Lanaton Monotype 128 American Graphophone 6 American Graphophone, ptd 84

markets were easier. There was no cash

local traders. Later there was an incli-

ment report. Cash move nent slow. Liverpool was lower on freer offerings.

The uncertainty as to the Governmen

Chicago Grain and Provision Market.

Corrected daily by W. B. Hibbs & Co., mom-oers of the New York Stock Exchange, 1419 F Street.

WHEAT- Open High, Low, 2 p. m.

Security....... 69% 69% 69% % 69% % 69% % 12% 12% 72% 72%

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Green coffee—Market steady. No. 7 (Rio grade), 5½c.

Roasted coffee—Market steady. Bulk roasted coffee—Pure Java, 31½c; Maracabbo, 21½c; pure Laguayra, 21½c; pure Santos, 18c; Peaberry mixture, 18½c; Rio blend, 17c; Peaberry mixture, 18½c; Pure Mocha blend, 27c. (These coffees are in fancy bags, paper-lived.) If packed in cans or tubs, ½c higher.

Package brands—E. L. C., 199-lb case, 19½c; 89-lb cases, 19 6-19c; M-lb cases, 19 7-19c; Lion coffee, in 199-lb lots, 10.58c; in 69-lb lots, 10.78c.

Cotton—Market firm, middling, 8½c; strictly low middling, 8½c; low middling, 8½c; Stock in Baltimore, 2,088 bales.

STOCKS REQUIRING STAMPS.

by J. W. Yerkes, Commissioner of In-ternal Revenue, to H. L. Hershey, col-lector of internal revenue at Lancaster,

Pa. Mr. Yerkes, in his answer, referred to the question of E. P. Stair, cashier of the Farmers' National Bank of York, Pa. The latter made enquiry whether revenue stamps are required when certificates of stock, with signed blank power of attorney, are given as collateral security, with a note for money borrowed, said stock being held only as a security and re-turned on payment of the note. Mr. Yerkes in deciding the question referred also to the opinion of the Attorney General covering the case, which is as follows:

"My opinion is that it would be, if the delivery of the stock was accompanied by any paper or agreement or memorandum, or other evidence of transfer such as contemplated by the statute. But I cannot construe this act to mean that the mere hypothecation of certificates of stock by depositing the same without any written or printed instrument of hypothecation, although the same may be held as security for the payment of a loan or taken as a basis of credit, is subject to stamp tax.

Concluding his decision, Mr. Yerkes said: "By the act of March 2, 1861, the tax on mortgages or pledges was repealed, to take effect on or after July 1, 1801, so that the delivery of stock as collateral security for the payment of notes is no longer taxable as a pledge. The act of March 2, 1801, however, re-emeted without change the first paragraph of Schedule A of the War Revenue Act, containing the provision relative to the tax on the delivery of stock as scurity for the future payment of money.

"In this state of the law, I am of the honorable Attorney General, above quoted, a delivery of stock as scurity for the future payment of money is taxable at the rate of 2 cents for each 1906, or fraction thereof, provided such delivery is accompanied by any paper, or agreement, or memorandum, or other synthese of transfer, as required by the statute, and I am further of the opinion that analytic collateral sequing the collateral note, in which such stock should be described with reasonable certainty, would be tuch evidence."

PLANS Of THE SPIRITUALISTS. also to the opinion of the Attorney Gen eral covering the case, which is as fol-

business here. The scaboard reports 29 PLANS OF THE SPIRITUALISTS.

nation to even up until tenight's Govern-The uncertainty as to the Government report confined the oats murket within a narrow range. Good cash demand for the last few days did not appear today. Conditions remain about the same in

convention grand public meetings with addreases, spirit communications and music
will be held. A large number of wellknown lecturers and mediums have been
engaged for these occasions.
Among those who will address the convention are: Rev Moses Hull, Prof. W.
W. Lockwood, Thomas Grimshaw, Prof.
W. F. Peck, Mrs. Helen Paimer Kessegue,
Mrs. Carrie E. S. Twing, Mrs. M. E. Atoot,
Mrs. R. S. Lulle, Mrs. Mny S. Pepper,
Margaret Gaule, Zaida Brown Gates, Jan.
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A grand reception to delegates and visitors will be held in the red parlors of the Ebbitt House on Monday evening, October 14, at 8 o clock. The headquarters for delegates and visitors will be at the Pairfax Hotel, corner F and Fourteenth Streets.

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BALTIMORE PRICE CURRENT.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 10 -Following are to day's quotations in the local wholesale provision and grain markets: Flour-Market was steady. Western Su-per, \$2.5592.45; Western Extra, \$2.4592.90; Western Family, \$3,20072.35; Winter Patents, \$3,0003.85; Spring Patents, \$1.7563.90; Spring Straights, \$1.6063.75; Spring Ba-

kers, \$2,866.05; Bultimore Best Patents, \$4.45; Bultimore High-Grade Family, \$4.25; Eastimore High-Grade Extra, \$2.95; Bulti-As to the bank statement the city of New York has paid off \$10,000,000 of the 2.45; Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania Super, \$2.55; Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania

Have Just Published

# The Japanese Nightingale

By ONOTA WATANNA

A charmingly naive love story of Japan by a young Angio-Japanese writer. It is beautifully illustrated in colors from paintings by Yeto, the Japanese illustra-tor, who has also provided fanciful decorations for each page of the text, and an uncommonly attractive cover design. The book is printed on an extra quality of of the most attractive pieces of bookmak-

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Franklin Square New York

nia Extra, \$2 45672.90; Maryland, Virginia Mills Super, \$2,3562.45; Rio Extra, \$3,606 5.75; Rye flour, medium to choice, \$3,006

Cuts.—The market was firm. Stock in elevators, 552,240 bus; white, No. 2, 334,57 dec, do, No. 3, 354,625c; do, No. 4, 574,635c; do, No. 2, 344,67 dec, mixed. No. 2, 344,67 dec, mixed. No. 2, 344,67 dec, mixed. No. 2, 344,67 dec, No. 4, 354,354; do, No. 3, 374,574; No. 4, 354,354; Rye.—Market was quiet. Stock in electevators, 149,370 bus; No. 2 nearby in carlots, 55c; No. 3, rye, 54c; No. 4, rye, 516,52c; No. 2 Western rye, 56c, in export elevator. Butter-Market was firm. Creamery,

Butter-Market was firm. Creamery, separator, extra 24825c; extra first, 22925c; co. imitation extra, 18449c; lowa and Northwestern ladde, extra, 16915c; do. extra first, 15915c; Western store-packed, 13914c; Ohio rells, first, 15915c; second, 13914c; Elgin creamery prints, 4-th, 25925c; do, 1-th, 25c; do, 2-th, 23925c; Maryland and Pennsylvania creamery prints, 4-th, 25925c; do, 1-th, 25c; do, 2-th, 23925c; Maryland and Pennsylvania creamery prints, 4-th, 24925c; do, 1-th, 25025c. Eggs-The market is firm. Strictly fresh, 18925c; Western, 18919c. Poultry-Market duil. Old fowis, 1692195c; per lb; spring chickens, 19911c; roosters, 25930c apiece; ducks, 3931c pound.

Green coffee-Market steady. No. 7 (Rio

Hypotheented Bonds Accompanied by Actual Transfer Pay Revenue. Regarding the stamp tax on shares of stock a communication was recently sent

THE CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET. Wheat Very Dull, With Corn Easier CHICAGO, Oct. 10.-Wheat has been very dull. The hard decline at Liver-pool had a steadying effect, but there was little disposition to trade. Continental

Programme for Their Ninth Annual

Convention Completed. The ninth annual convention of the National Spiritualists' Association of the United States and Canada has been announced to take place at Masonic Temple. Ninth and F Streets northwest, on Octo-mer 15, 16, 17, and 18

The programme, which has been mapped out with great care, indicates that business sessions will take place daily at 10 a. m, and 2 p. m. One seasion is to be devoted to National Lyceum Union and Y. P. S. U. At 7:30 every evening during the convention grand public meetings with ad-

HUDDLESTON CASE POSTPONED.

The Alleged Forger to Be Given a Hearing Today.

ise of Harry Huddleston, charged with forgery, did not come up for hear-ing in the Police Court yesterday as war expected. At the request of the attorneys of the accused it was postponed until today. Huddleston, who is about twenty-eight years of age, is a clerk in the War Department. He came to Washington from Tennessue. the war beparament. He came to washington from Tennessee.

He is said to have forged the name of Lieut. Charles H. Morrow, U. S. A., to a draft drawn on the United States Treasury for \$120.38. The draft alleged to have been forged, dated April last, was the salary due Lieutenant Morrow. Huddleston denies his guilt.

A CITY LOT TRANSFERRED.

Property on P Street Bought by Troy Purchasers.

A deed was put on record yesterday by Elizabeth H. Gurley, of this city, conveying to Harry C. Shields and Seymou Van Santvoord, both of Trey, N. Y., original lot 10 and lot 82 in C. P. Hillyer subdivision of square No. 35, together with the improvements, for \$10,00. The property is situated in the square bounded by Fifteenth, Sixteenth, O and P. Streets northwest.

# SHOE-BARGAINS FOR PRIDAY

The busy selling during this, our Opening week, brings out for today a strong list of excellent Friday Bargains--consisting of broken sizes of desirable Fall-weight Shoes. Included in this list are also several lines, of these we have all sizes, which we can afford to offer at less than wholesale prices, because of advantageous buying.

Men's \$3.50 Patent Leathers.

Women's Shoes

37c Reduced from 50c, 75c, and \$2.

95c Reduced from \$1.50, \$2, and \$2.50. 47 pairs New England \$2 soft viri kid aced and Button Boots. Sizes 3 and

\$1.85 Reduced from \$3.50.

Children's Shoes

37c Were formerly 50c and 75c.

pairs Bables' White and Blue Quilt-

89c Reduced from \$1.25 and \$1.50. 

37 pairs boys' and girls' \$1.25 and \$1.50 stout viril kid Spring-heel Lacest and Button Boots—B to E widths. Broken sizes, \$1\u00e52 to 2.

\$1.37 Reduced from \$2 and \$2.50.

33 pairs bers' 35 and \$2.50 calf double and single sole hand made Laced Shoeswidth B to E-broken sizes, ranging from 13 to 5.

Wm. Hahn & Co.'s Cor. 7th and K Sts.

WHEN, WHERE, AND WHAT

At Any Time. Vonderheide's New York Buffet,

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